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For: RECORDING SHEETS FOR INK JET PRINTING

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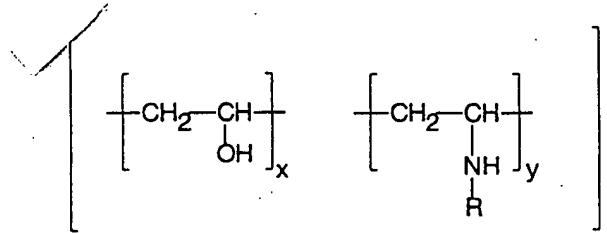
Responsive to the office action dated August 3, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 5 and amend claims 12 and 13 as follows:

12. (Twice Amended). A recording sheet for ink jet printing comprising a support coated with at least one layer receptive for aqueous inks; wherein said layer contains:

(a) at least one copolymer of the general structure:



where

R = [+] H or alkyl with 1-6 carbon atoms

x + y = 1

y = 0.05 - 0.2

x = 0.8 - 0.95; and

(b) a binder or mixture of binders;